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Choice Rio Green Coffee, 8 lbs. for	1.00
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25c Extra Std. Cal. Peaches, Pears and Apricots, No. 3s, can	19c
Basket brand Calif. Peaches, No. 3s	can 14c
Standard Tomatoes, No. 3s	can 11c
Standard Tomatoes, No. 2s	can 7c
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Daisy Brand Peas, No. 2s, special	can 8c
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Lusterlite Lamp Oil	gal. 12c

Mr. Eastland, the courteous representative of the National Biscuit Co., will be with us on our Opening Day and will serve gratuitously to the ladies and children accompanying them the palatable and wholesome good things to eat for which his firm is renowned.

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Courthouse News.

DEEDS FILED.

Real Estate Transfers for week ending Saturday, Sept. 17, 1910.

G. W. Morris and wife to guardian of Langley minors, June 1st, 1910, deed to a strip of land, 150 by 164 feet, out of survey No. 2, F. Niggi, \$1100.00.

Anton Ney and wife to Gustave Schreiber, August 22, 1910, deed to 121 and 22-100 acres out of survey No. 115, in name of B. F. Ir. & Mfg. Co., \$1333.42.

Mrs. M. M. Koch to Rt. Rev. J. A. Forest, Bishop, July 20, 1910, deed to 3 and 97-100 acres out of survey No. 441, in name of D. H. Burnett, \$397.00.

E. G. Garwood and wife to W. E. Newton, Sept. 9, 1910, deed to 64 and 16-100 acres out of survey No. 187 in name of Anton Gsell, Hondo, \$6415.00.

Leopold Brieden and wife to Chas. Brown, Sept. 13, 1910, deed to lots 4 and 5, block No. 1, Range No. 9, town of Castroville, \$1000.00.

Louis Heyen to John Hartman, Oct. 2, 1909, deed to 15 1/2 acres out of survey No. 95 1/2, in name of P. Schuchard, \$1.00 and other considerations.

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Harm and Ben Gerdes to Geo. Gerdes, July 21, 1910, deed to water right or privilege to a well of water, on survey No. 23, J. Bendele, valuable consideration.

J. F. Briscoe to First State Bank of Devine, Aug. 24, 1910, Quit Claim deed to a Lot 50x25 feet, Devine, \$1.00.

First State Bank of Devine to Dr. A. R. Bowman, Aug. 17, 1910, deed to same property mentioned last above, \$3500.00.

G. W. Hester to Joe Cude, Nov. 29, 1909, deed to lot No. 4, out of Survey No. 15, in name of J. Brodhag, \$150.00.

The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr. King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. It's positively guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

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Land? land? See Hondo Land Co.

HAS FOUNDATION IN ROCK

Remarkable Church in German Town Around Which There Linger Superstitious Tales.

In the quaint old German town of Oberstein an ancient church stands, built in the great rock rising from the river. The front of the building is of stone, but the church itself is hollowed out of the rock and penetrates far into its heart. Tradition says that in the fourteenth century the count of Oberstein, one of the old robber barons, fell deeply in love with a beautiful young lady, the daughter of a neighboring knight. His brother also sought the fair maiden's hand and the two suitors had a violent quarrel. The upshot was that the count flung his hapless brother from the top of his castle wall, high up the precipitous cliff. Repenting of his awful deed, the count vowed that he would build a church where his brother's body first touched the ground. He did so, excavating the church in the rock, and tradition goes on to say a miraculous spring of clear water sprang from the crag as a token that Heaven was appeased. This curious church is now the only Protestant place of worship in the town--Wide World Magazine.

How's This?

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Had High Hopes.

A tourist once happened to meet the usual "oldest inhabitant" of a village. In the course of conversation he asked the ancient how old he was.

"I be just a hundred," was the reply.

"Well, I doubt if you'll see another hundred years," said the tourist, trying to make conversation.

"I don't know so much about that, maister," was the hopeful response. "I be stronger now than when I started on the first hundred"

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Are you just barely getting around by the aid of crutches or a cane? Unless you have lost a limb or have a deformity--if your trouble is rheumatism, lumbago, sprain, stiff joints, or anything of like nature use Ballard's Snow Liniment and in no time you can throw away your crutches and be as well as anyone. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Did you ever notice how many fool opinions you hear expressed every day?

D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Misses Alice and Elsie Rothe entertained a number of their friends last Sunday evening. Music, games and other amusements were indulged in. Delicious refreshments, consisting of punch and cake were served. The party was in the nature of a farewell to several of the young people who are leaving for school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reilly entertained the Skat club Sunday evening.

Miss Mayme Rothe returned Monday after a pleasant visit to Misses Nora and Lizzie Klein in Seguin.

Misses Jane Enderle and Bessie Carle were visitors to Mrs. W. H. Earnest the first of this week.

Miss Mayme Rothe left Wednesday to enter Mulholland's school in San Antonio.

Mr. J. M. Koch went to San Antonio Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rothe are visiting in the Alamo City this week.

Mr. A. L. Braden returned Friday from several days visit to his brother at Flatonia.

Miss Alice Finger returned home from San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. Stephen Koch Sr. returned home Monday evening after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. John Gersdorf.

Mrs. J. M. McLeese of Carrizo Springs is here visiting home folks.

Mr. Joe L. Mangold passed through Thursday from Eagle Pass en route to Castroville.

Mrs. Annie Woodrome of LaGrange is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Deckert.

It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it, sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at W. H. Windrow's.

Vanity of Life.

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It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions naturally. For sale by all dealers.

Make a Friend a Day.

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A Reliable Medicine--Not a Narcotic.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and effective medicine for children as it does not contain opiates or harmful drugs. Get only the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. W. H. Windrow.

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What a Widower Is.

A widower is a person who thinks it makes the widows mad to see him going around with a young girl.--Galveston News.

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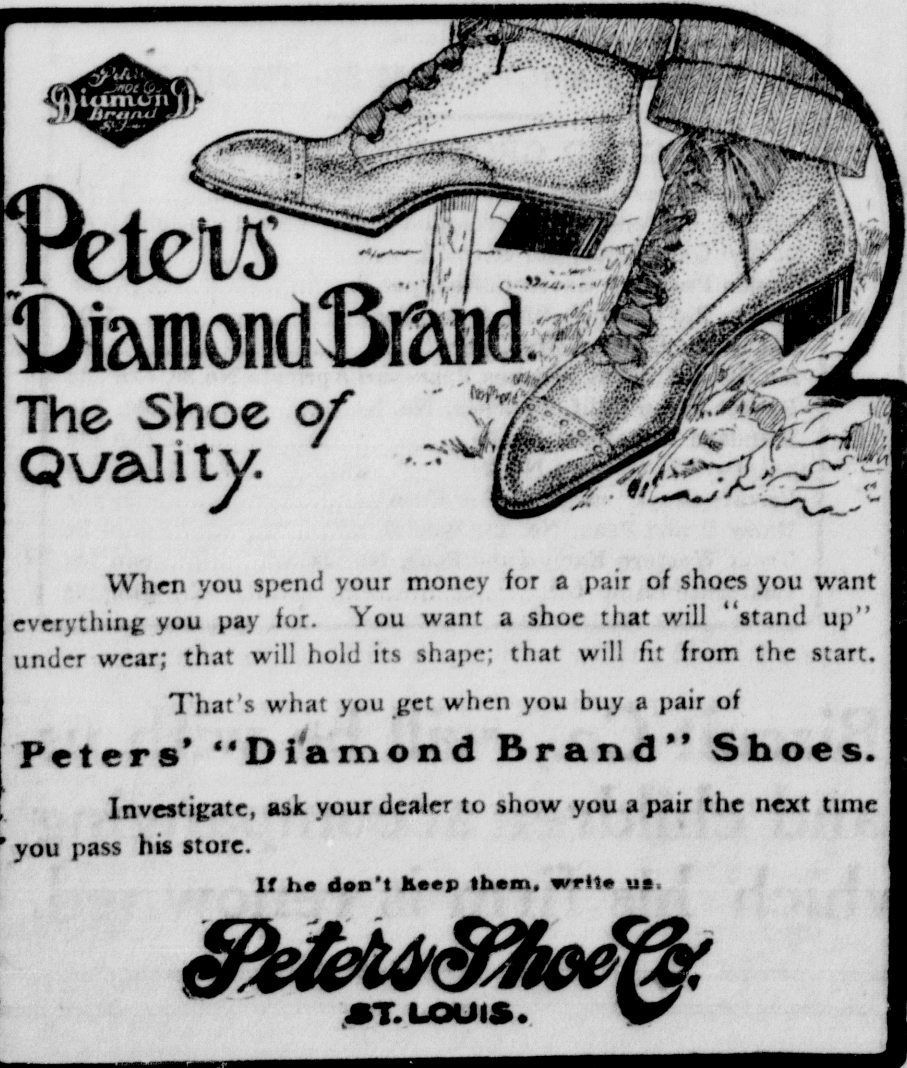
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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville, —

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

L. L. Brucks, our County Attorney, and his brother, A. B. Brucks, County Supt. of Schools, were both Castroville business visitors last Monday.

Robt. de Montel made an over-land trip to San Antonio Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Max App returned home with him Monday after a two week's visit to relatives and friends at that place.

Mr. Andre Gerloff is unanimously declared the champion fisherman. He succeeded in landing a forty pounder from the turbulent waters of the old Medina early Monday morning.

W. N. Saathoff interviewed the voters of Castroville Tuesday in behalf of his candidacy for the office of Supt. of Schools of Medina County.

Messrs. Ed. A. Tschirhart and Ed. F. Mann left Tuesday on a business trip to Bandera Co.

Mr. and Mrs. August Koenig and sister, Mrs. Emil Halbardier, returned Wednesday from a business and pleasure trip to the Alamo City.

A. T. Forst of Hondo was a Castroville business visitor Wednesday.

A light rain fell here Wednesday afternoon.

A Mexican couple was united in wedlock Thursday morning by Rev. Father Heckmann.

Frank Belzung, of San Antonio arrived here Thursday on a visit to relatives and friends.

The Editor of "The Castroville Quill" left Thursday on a business trip to the Alamo City.

Rudolph Mueller Jr. was also a San Antonio business visitor Thursday.

Butcher Ed Hans moved into his new and up-to-date shop Friday.

Joe L. Mangold came in Friday from the Cheatham Ranch near Eagle Pass on a visit to homefolks and friends.

Saturday, Sept. 17, 1910, was a day which will long be remembered by the descendants of Nicolaus and Katharine Tschirhart, deceased, and their respective kith and kin, the occasion being a family reunion. The joyful event was celebrated by a High Mass at 8 o'clock A. M. at St. Louis Church. After the service, the celebrants repaired to Paschal's beautiful pecan grove, where the day was pleasantly spent in picnicking. Plenty of barbecued meats and other good edibles and refreshments of all kinds were on the grounds. There were present, nine brothers and two sisters, forty-one grand-sons and twenty-seven grand-daughters, and thirty-one great-grand-sons and twenty-three great-grand-daughters. Absent were, Messrs. Charles and John Tschirhart and Mr. Val. Mangold and family. The guests of honor were, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meier and Mrs. Josephine Mann. The grand event was closed with a ball at night at Nic. L. Tschirhart's Pavilion.

Miss Viola Kreisle and brother, Emmitt, left Sunday morning for Del Rio on an extended visit to their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tondre.

Miss Clotilda Tschirhart, the nurse, left Sunday for Hondo on professional business.

Rev. Walter Kralik left Sunday noon for Quihi to assist Rev. C. Stadler in conducting Mission services during the afternoon.

Merchant P. C. Jagge and Miss Ida Haass left Saturday for San Antonio where they joined Mrs. Wm. Edgar and a party of friends on a pleasure trip to Galveston.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Geiger Jr., on Sunday, Sept. 18th, a daughter, Mrs. Ed. Naegelin and daughter, Miss Susie, of New Braunfels spent last week with relatives and friends in our midst.

Died.

Mrs. Wm. Moos (nee Reus) died at her home, after a short illness, Friday morning, Sept. 16, 1910, and was laid to rest at the Lutheran Cemetery, on Saturday afternoon, Rev. Walter Kralik performing the last sad rites. Deceased was born March 17, 1876, on the Lower Medina. On Sept. 11, 1900, she was happily married to Mr. Wm. Moos, which union was blessed with four children, three sons, and a daughter who died in infancy. Deceased was a devoted Christian lady, a dutiful wife and loving mother, and a kind neighbor. Besides her grief stricken husband and motherless little sons, she leaves her widowed mother, Mrs. John D. Reus, one brother and three sisters and a large number of other near relatives to mourn her untimely demise. A large concourse of mourning relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place. We join in sympathy for the grief-stricken and bereaved ones.

Castroville, Sept. 19, 1910.

A Burglar in Town

his name is "bad cough". He doesn't care for gold or silver but he will steal your health away. If he appears in your house arrest him at once with Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it may mean consumption if you don't. A cure for all coughs, colds and chest troubles. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

A woman doesn't object to her husband kissing the cook, provided "she" is the cook!

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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An Important Case

By BELLE MANIATES

"I know that you have scarcely rested since your last case, Miss Thorne," said the doctor, looking down into the young face saddened and sweetened by experience, "but I can only save the lad with your help. I told his brother there was a glimmer of hope if I could secure the nurse I had in mind, and he said to offer you any inducement."

"I will take the case," she replied. "I can go at once."

In a few minutes she was seated beside Dr. Vall, and as they rose he told her the details of the case.

"Briand fever, and the boy is one of those high-strung, nervous types. It will be a fight, but you seem to understand and soothe nervous children so well."

"Perhaps," she said, musingly, "it's because I once had the care of a child like that one who was very dear to me."

"He calls constantly for his sister; yet he never had one."

The automobile drew up before a large stone house. A maid opened the door and took the bag from the nurse. "Wait here," directed the doctor, going upstairs, "until I come back."

When he returned the nurse was gazing at some photographs on the mantel, her face very white.

"What is the boy's name?" she asked, abruptly.

"Paul Whitridge."

"I thought so. I can't take this case. I can't stay here, not even to save the child's life."

"See here," said the doctor, roughly, "haven't you learned that doctors and nurses can't indulge in personal feelings? We must work for foe and friend alike. The boy is much worse; raving."

"I think I can quiet him. I will go up and see him, and then," she added, firmly, "I must leave." When she came out the doctor led her into a room which he used as a consulting room.

"You promised the boy," he reminded, anxiously.

"I couldn't refuse; but I stay only on certain conditions."

"You may make any you choose."

"You know something of my history. That I lived in the west, that I separated from my husband, took another name and came here to be a nurse. This child, Paul, is my husband's young brother. They have evidently moved to this city."

"Good Lord!" ejaculated the doctor.

"Mr. Whitridge is a bad, cruel man, and I came to loathe and despise him. I only stayed with him as long as I did because I was attached to the child, to whom his brother was utterly indifferent. I cannot understand his motive in professing anxiety. I don't want to see him. I won't see him! I thought it out while I was sitting by Paul—how to manage it. You can tell him I am eccentric and a man-hater, that I never go in a house where there is a man, and that I will stay and nurse the boy only on condition that he doesn't come into the sickroom when I am there."

"He will consent to any arrangement when he learns Paul has become quiet under your influence. He is devoted to the child."

"Men of his type," she replied, scornfully, "never change. But please go and make the arrangements with him."

The doctor sought the master of the house, and soon returned.

"He will willingly give his word of honor—"

She made a contemptuous gesture. One evening when the lad was asleep she went down on the beach to watch the breakers. In a long stretch of shimmering moonlight she saw a man approaching. He was tall and slim and straight as a fir tree. He paused before her.

"Helene," he said, "may I not thank you for saving the life of little Paul?" She looked at him astounded. Then a comprehending light came into her eyes.

"You are Francis Whitridge, Walter's brother?" she asked.

"Yes; and I have always regretted that I was abroad at the time of your marriage, and afterwards. I know what your life with Walter must have been, but we must not speak ill of him now that he is gone—"

"Gone?" she echoed, wonderingly.

"He died six months ago."

"Oh!" she cried, in an awed tone of relief.

"We have looked everywhere for you—little Paul and I."

"Then it was you who were in the house during Paul's illness?"

"Yes; when the doctor told his story of the 'eccentric' nurse I believed him. But in my anxiety for the boy and for his care, I used to violate the contract, in part. I often lingered near the sickroom. I heard you call him 'little brother,' and I knew who you must be. I didn't dare reveal my identity, lest your antipathy to Walter extend to his relatives. Yesterday a reference to my brother's death before Dr. Thorne led him to suspect the state of affairs, and he told me you did not know of Walter's death. So I came to tell you, and, Helene, for Paul's sake, can't we be friends?"

She looked at him earnestly. There was no look of Walter in his lineaments. But an odd resemblance of Paul attracted her. She trusted him instantly.

"Yes," she replied, softly, "we will be friends."

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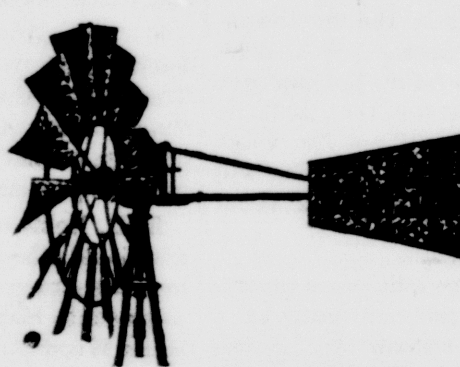
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MANY a man thinks he is cutting ice when he is merely burning dough!

WE are in receipt of a season complimentary ticket to the San Angelo Fair and Carnival, Oct. 3rd to 8th, 1910.

AFTER a most successful meeting at Sanderson, the Southwest Texas Press and Commercial Secretaries Association adjourned to meet next year at Alpine.

WHILE the writing of editorial dope is the most congenial part of our employment we are perfectly willing for our correspondents, advertisers and job patrons to keep us too busy to indulge the proclivity to go too long on editorials.

HON. Noah Allen, the Republican nominee for Congress for the 15th district, is campaigning in the northwestern part of the district. We wish Hon. Noah all of the fun he can get out of the campaign for that will be about all he will get. When the votes are counted in November our John will go back to Washington with his usual majority.

LOCAL showers are still being reported from various sections but, as a whole, the country remains dry. Farmers in these favored sections are peculiarly fortunate as it enables those who will to plant fall crops and with other rains following winter and early spring pasturage will thus be assured. A good oat or rye field will greatly aid in carrying live stock through the dreary months of winter until grass grows again. Plant oats where you can.

HONDO must be full of millionaires. None other can afford five cents a stein for bathing liquid, however pure and wholesome.—Uvalde Leader-News. An honest and perfectly natural mistake, no doubt superinduced by watching the express trains come in and the effects that follow. Hondo's millionaires are never prodigal with that liquid usually served in steins but when their normal demands therefor are supplied generously permit the surplus to go to laving the thirst of the unfortunate denizens of dry and desolate regions—like Uvalde.

Lacoste Laconics.

BY BLUE BELLE

ED. ANVIL HERALD:—

The dance that was given at the LaCoste W. O. W. Hall last Saturday night was largely attended and every body reported an enjoyable time.

Miss Minda Schneider from Castroville spent the week with her cousins, Misses Regina and Elenora Mangold, at this place.

Miss Ida Etter left Sunday for San Antonio, after a month's stay with her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mangold returned home after spending several weeks in San Antonio with relatives and friends.

Miss Alice Biediger of Castroville spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Keller at this place, and also attended the dance Saturday night.

Miss Lena Weynand, after visiting friends here, returned to San Antonio Sunday.

Gus C. Moeller made a business trip to San Antonio Monday, returning the same day.

The LaCoste school opened today with about forty pupils, with Prof. Moore as teacher.

Misses Maud Swearingen and Rose Moeller took a pleasant drive to Castroville Sunday and report a nice time.

Miss Cecil Droitecourt, after spending a few weeks with home folks at Castroville, returned to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Droitecourt's at this place.

Mr. Otto Greeven was seen in our little town today.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moeller spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spettie at Riomedina.

Willie Reyman and wife from Macdona were visiting relatives and friends in town today, (Monday).

Lacoste, Sept. 19, 1910.



MISS LILLIAN ZAPP

The fourteen-year old cousin of Mrs. J. W. Holloway as she appeared at her Representative Party in her Anvil Herald costume. Miss Zapp has returned to her home at Fayetteville. The cut does not do the costume justice.

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P. E. O. Meeting.

The members of the P. E. O. Sisterhood met at the home of Mrs. C. B. Brown Wednesday afternoon. The following was the program for the afternoon:

1. Roll call: Quotations on England.
2. English History from the year 1066 to 1154. The Normans and English antiquities.
3. Current events in Early England.
4. Closing song.

From New Fountain

BY TUGGER.

ED. ANVIL HERALD:—

The New Fountain school, with Prof. A. W. Myres as teacher, opened Monday, Sept. 19, for the 1910-1911 term with a good attendance.

F. D. Neumann was in Hondo on business last Saturday.

A. D. Gerdes came up from Yancey to spend a few days with his brother, Lou.

Mrs. Henry Hartmann and daughter, Miss Lina, spent Sunday at the Upper Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heyen and Mrs. Fritz Wohlschlegel left Monday for Llano and Mason where they will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

Herman Oefinger, one of Yancey's prosperous farmers, spent several days here on a visit.

Otto Schweers and Fritz Heyen of Hondo were here Sunday.

Miss Rosa Riff, one of Bader settlement's popular ladies, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bohmfalk and Mrs. Willie Faseler were here from Yancey on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bohmfalk.

And. Schuehle, H. H. Balzen, H. H. Hartmann, Dom. Riff, John Muennink and Prof. S. H. Saathoff were Hondo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Saathoff of the Seco were here on a visit the fore part of the week.

Rev. Walter Kralik, the Lutheran preacher from Castroville, was here Sunday and assisted Rev. C. Stadler in conducting the services for the celebration of the 60th anniversary of the Quili Lutheran church. Rev. Stadler delivered a very impressive sermon at 10 o'clock, a. m. In the afternoon Rev. Kralik spoke for Foreign missions and Rev. Stadler for Texas missions. The

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No. 10. 320 acres, 200 in cultivation, good improvements, price \$25.00.

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No. 15. 6-room house, large hall, windmill, stock cistern, barn and houses, fine shade, fruit trees, etc.

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Eugene Huesser was a San Antonio visitor the first of the week.
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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haby were here from D'Hanis Wednesday on business.
Get your jewelry from A. J. Willmann. A complete stock to select from.
The wagon with a growing reputation, the Studebaker. See Holloway Bros.
Geo. Beck, Theodore Haby and Robert Bless were here Thursday enroute to Uvalde.
E. G. Garwood is sporting a brand new automobile. He brought it out from San Antonio Saturday.
—Meet me at the Soda Fountain. Cool, sparkling drinks served from the beautiful fountain at Hutzler's.
The young people enjoyed a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hornung last Monday night.
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Mothers' Club Meeting.

At a regular meeting of the Mothers' Club, which convened at the school house Thursday afternoon, the following were present: Mesdames G. W. Monkhouse, R. H. Hudspeth, P. Jungman, Louis Stiegler, H. G. Henderson, T. C. Hickman, Lee Green and Fletcher Davis, and Misses Stella and Lena Stone.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Lee Green and Miss Stella Stone were admitted to membership.

Miss Lena Stone read an article entitled "Twixt You and Me," from the American Motherhood magazine.

Mrs. R. H. Hudspeth, chairman of the committee on Year Books, reported the following program drawn up for the year's work:

Oct. 10. "The Most Pressing Needs of the School at Present," Prof. T. C. Hickman.

Nov. 14. "Parents' Relation to the Teacher," Mrs. H. G. Henderson.

Dec. 12. "Common Diseases of Children and How to Recognize Them," Dr. J. H. Fletcher.

Jan. 9. "How Parents Can Help the School Work of the Children," Miss Lena Stone.

Feb. 13. "Higher Aspirations," address to the school, by Prof. A. B. Brucks.

March 13. "The Functions of Good Literature in Character-building," Misses Stella Stone and Novella Johnson.

April 10. Address to the Children on the Care of the Teeth, Dr. R. P. Thomas.

May 8. "Practical Methods of Cooperation Between Home and School," Misses Annie Spencer and Rhea Mackey.

This program was accepted. It was decided that the study of Texas History be taken up by the Club in addition to the work specified in the Year Book.

The club discussed informally the providing of drinking fountains at the school, but took no definite action in the matter.

The regular meeting day was changed from the second Wednesday to the second Monday in each month.

There being no further business the Club adjourned to meet at the school house on the second Monday in October.

The Philathea Class.

The Philathea class met in the parlors of Mrs. I. H. King Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 20, with eleven members present. The meeting was called to order by the president. After the singing of a hymn and prayer, the roll was called, each one responding with a bible verse containing the word love. A few questions touching the importance of the teacher's training class were propounded by the president, after which the discussion of taking up some particular book in the course of study, and it was decided that we first study the manual of Methodism.

Mrs. G. W. Bailey tendered her resignation as secretary and treasurer, which was accepted and Miss Horger was elected to the office.

The Misses King served cream and cake, assisted by Mrs. H. F. King.

Three new members were added to the list.

The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. J. S. Monkhouse, Oct. 4th, at which time we take up our first lesson of teacher training.

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Mr. Fritz Rothe Sr. and son, Gustave, were in town Tuesday from the Seco.

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County Court.

County Court for the fall term convenes here Oct. 3rd.

On the civil docket there is but one case, T. E. Mumme vs. J. A. Whitfield et al., Suit on note.

On the Criminal Docket the following cases appear:

State vs. J. T. FitzSimon, Unlawfully breaking down and injuring the fence of another.

State vs. Ferd Schott, carrying a pistol.

State vs. Nat Pompa, delivering intoxicating liquor to a minor.

State vs. Candelario Moncevez, selling intoxicating liquor in local option precinct. Two cases.

State vs. Morris Johnson, aggravated assault.

State vs. — Martinez, theft under \$50.00.

State vs. Hans Tripp, carrying a pistol.

State vs. Choa Garza, aggravated assault and battery.

State vs. S. H. Wilkerson, aggravated assault and battery.

State vs. Entencio Rocha, aggravated assault and battery.

Three other cases in which no arrests have been made also appear on the docket.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schuehle spent Sunday in D'Hanis.

Dan G. Hardt went to San Antonio Monday on business.

Mrs. Geo. T. Elder returned Monday from her visit to Beeville.

Mrs. J. N. Dowdy spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Albert Heyen left Tuesday to re-enter school at Georgetown.

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Wayman McAnelly of Devine visited his aunt, Mrs. A. K. Goza, here the first of the week.

Ed de Montel, Esq., and son, Elmer, were business visitors to San Antonio the first of the week.

Messrs. Henry Mussmann and Wilhelm Kroenmuelin were pleasant callers at this office Tuesday.

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Miss Hallie Nixon left Monday for Georgetown to re-enter school. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. P. Nixon.

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Charles Filleman spent Sunday in D'Hanis.

Nic Walter was over from D'Hanis last Friday.

Ambrose Zimmermann spent Sunday in Castroville.

Ignatz Deckert was here last Friday from D'Hanis.

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John A. Hardt was a business caller at this office Monday.

D. H. Fly, Esq., visited San Antonio the first of the week.

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Artzt's band at the Auditorium Monday night, Sept. 26.

Fountain drinks served at F. A. Heyen's new Soda Fountain, south side.

Adolph L. Haegelin visited the Alamo City on business the first of the week.

We have everything an up-to-date Soda Fountain should have. Give us a call. Geo. Hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ward and Mrs. W. L. Marlin returned Monday from their visit to Del Rio.

Mrs. J. D. Brown returned Saturday from a several weeks' visit to relatives in Guadalupe Co.

Nic. Deckert of D'Hanis was in town Wednesday on business and paid our office a pleasant call.

Hugo Schweers returned to Georgetown Monday where he re-enters school for the coming session.

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Mrs. W. F. Wanshall left Wednesday evening for D'Hanis to spend a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Charles Wallrath.

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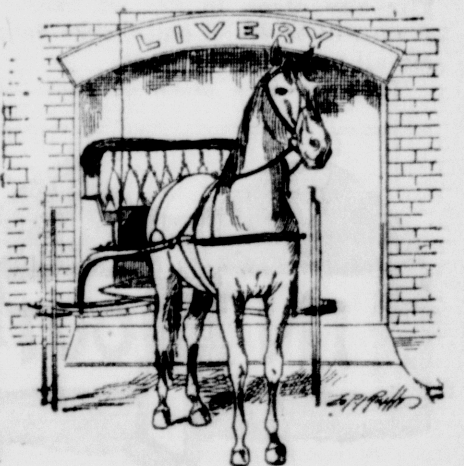
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Dr. R. P. Thomas has returned and can be found in his office at all times.



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JAPANESE BAMBOO BOXES

They Come in Nests and Are Useful for Holding Many Articles of Young Girl's Wardrobe.

Japanese bamboo boxes, which come in nests, are useful for holding the many trifles of a young girl's wardrobe. It is only recently that these offerings from the orient could be obtained here, but now all the leading stores dealing in eastern goods keep them. The original set comprises six rectangular receptacles about two or three and a half inches in depth. By using the larger of each group of two for the cover one may have three separate and convenient places in which to keep ribbons, gloves, collars and the various trinkets which so easily lose themselves in a dresser drawer. The rich reddish brown of the bamboo cannot fail to please the eye of any girl. The wood is split into strips about half an inch wide and woven together in an open basket pattern. The edges are strongly bound with strips of the bamboo laced together. Other baskets are to be found in this same material, and the fern holders are unusually charming when filled with fresh green moss and delicate green sprays. These baskets are lined with dull brass boxes, which slip into the bamboo part, so that they do not show from the outside. For country houses they are particularly well adapted, and so are the large handled baskets for holding the garden flowers as they are freshly culled.

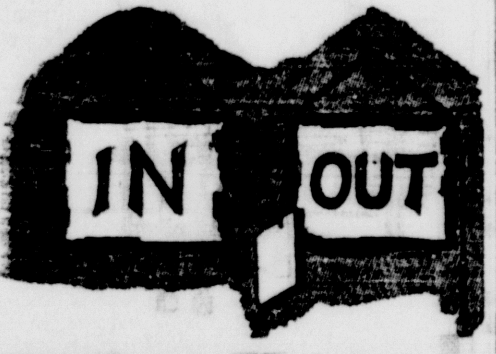
Japanese straw sandals are another useful article which can be picked up in these oriental shops. They have woven soles of grass or fiber, with cross straps of flowered silk to match the kimono. Or if they do not match in coloring the original straps can be covered with a silk that does. Other sandals have embroidered coverings for the toes and are heelless like the strapped ones.

IN AND OUT INDICATOR

Simple Form of a Very Useful Article That Can Be Made of Card-board and Silk.

An in and out indicator is often a very useful thing and we show in our sketch a useful and simple form of this article that may be easily made. The size given in the left-hand diagram will be found quite large enough for all practical purposes.

To make it a piece of stout card-



board four by five inches in size is smoothly covered on both sides with pale blue silk and the word "In" is worked on one side and the word "Out" on the other. It is edged with a dark blue silk cord carried up into a loop at the top by which the indicator may be suspended from the wall. On going out the card is easily lifted from the nail and reversed and hung up again, and on returning it can, of course, be reversed again. Attached on the right hand side by a fine silk cord is a pencil, and on the left, fastened in the same manner, some slips of paper for messages.

Lingerie Dresses.

A very simple white embroidered frock may be vastly improved by embroidering over the design in colored silk. Flower designs, of course, best lend themselves to this treatment. One very pretty lingerie dress embroidered in a rose pattern has been worked over in pale pinks and greens at the yoke and the girdle, thus giving a distinctive touch to a dainty but rather usual frock.

The embroidery done in this way is especially effective in deep skirt flounces and in a running pattern down the sleeves. Often only a part of the white design is thus colored, and combined with a hat and a parasol to match, the simple dress may thus form the nucleus of a really striking costume.

Embroidered Initials.

In embroidering initials on household linen, especially for a newly furnished house (in the case of a bride, etc.), one should try to make the style of the monogram agree with the general appearance of the room in which it is to be used. Thus the square heavy letters are suitable for a room in mission or craftsman style; long, delicately curved French letters for the apartment in empire or Chippendale mode, and round, open letters for the baby's simple nursery. This may sound farfetched, but it is surprising how conspicuous embroidered napkins and towels may become when they are out of harmony with the other appointments.

Keep Laces Dry.

Wonderful ecclesiastical laces have been ruined by being kept in damp places, and to their sacrifice is due the effort to handle elegant laces with greater care.

A dry closet or drawer or chest and a padded pasteboard roll with tissue paper between the layers are the valuable suggestions from a French lace restorer.

BROUGHT UP THE IRON BAR

Barnum's Heroic Method of Saving Elephant's Life, Told by Veracious Press Agent.

The late Clyde Fitch, at a dinner he once gave in his beautiful New York house, talked about the press agent. "The press agent of to-day," he said, "has a dull and feeble imagination beside the press agent of the past. How Barnum would have scorned the press agent of to-day!"

"Barnum, you know, had a good press agent. Take his press agent's story of the elephant Alpha."

"Alpha fell ill—so the story ran—with gastritis. No medicines would relieve her. It was discovered that she had wrenched off an iron bar from her stall, and as the bar couldn't be found anywhere all saw that she had swallowed it. This bar was the cause of her acute gastritis sufferings."

"Mr. Barnum had a small colored lad named Rufe working for him. He sent for Rufe and said:

"I want you to take a rubber tube to breathe through, and we'll put a strong rope round your waist and send you down into Alpha's stomach after that iron bar she's swallowed. It's the only way to save her life."

"Little Rufe rolled his eyes in horror, but he knew Mr. Barnum. He knew he must obey."

"So he was well greased with cosmoline, and Alpha being safely gagged, they thrust him headfirst down the enormous oesophagus, a long stick, well oiled, shoving him right down into the elephant's stomach."

"He soon found what he sought there; he gave three lugs on the rope, and they drew him out with the indigestible bar of iron clasped in his hand."

"It is superfluous to say in conclusion that Alpha's life was saved, and that brave little Rufe was handsomely rewarded by his generous employer."

A NASTY ONE.



"Give it to him; it'll be the last quiet day he'll ever have."

In the Book Store.

The man behind the bookstore counter was watching the fellow next to the magazine stand. As the latter started out, the clerk went after him.

"See here, sir; you'll have to pay for that magazine or put it back," he said.

"I'm committing no theft," said the person accosted; "can't you see I am only taking an Outing?"

"Well, just let me tell you, my man," answered the dealer, "Success in Life depends a lot on Public Opinion, and if I am any Judge, Everybody's apt to hold the Mirror up to you and let you reflect on your peculiar manner of taking an Outing."

Whereupon, musing that the Outlook was dark as a Black Cat if he didn't pay up, the culprit forked over.

—St. Louis Star.

A Kick for Consistency.

The commuter with a grievance opened the door of the general passenger agent's department, pushed aside the boy at the railing, and stalked up to the chief clerk's desk and relieved himself as follows:

"Maybe I have no kick coming when I go to the station on time every morning for six weeks to catch the 8:08 train, only to find it from five to ten minutes late. Maybe I haven't, I say. But when I get there two minutes late on the first morning of the seventh week only to see the rear end of the train disappearing cityward, then, by thunder, I have a kick coming, and I'm here to register it!"

A Tale of Rapid Transit.

Did you ever hear Mark Twain's story about the Mississippi river steamboat that had to stop its engines in order to blow its whistle? I found a car line the other day that is run much on the same principle. It is a car line operating some ten miles beyond Plymouth and it boasts of two cars in the summer and one in the winter. I noticed that the car ran slowly, but at rare intervals would spurt ahead for a moment or two at a considerably faster speed. "What causes these bursts of speed?" I asked the motorman. He grinned. "That comes when the other car at the other end of the line stops to let off a passenger," he explained.—Boston Journal.

Who Esau Was.

One of a class in a certain Sunday school of Hartford is a lad whose father is a publisher.

During one lesson touching certain Biblical characters this boy was asked:

"Who was Esau?"

After a moment's reflection the youngster offered this unique answer:

"Esau was the man that wrote the book of fables. He sold it to Messrs. Potage."

UNEARTHED WHALE'S BONES

Dredgers Lay Bare Skeleton of a Twenty-Footer—One Dredge Brings Up a Diamond.

In cutting away the bank of the creek a mile from the ocean on Hewlett's Bay, the New York Sun says, workmen employed on the dredger Florida came across the skeleton of a 20-foot whale 12 feet below the surface of the meadows. The men had secured the vertebrae and head and were digging for the rest of the frame when the storm put an end to operations.

The large suction pipe of the dredger has brought to light many articles, some of them valuable. Two weeks ago a diamond ring worth \$100 was brought up. Just inside the suction pipe is a box which contains a magnet and all metal substances drop into the box, while the mud and dirt pass over it.

Mesdames Curry and Eversole.

It is hard to find a remedy suited to the ills of children, yet Mrs. Curry of Trowbridge, Ill., and Mrs. Eversole of Hindsboro, Ill., claim to have found it, and they are naturally anxious to let the rest of the world know. They say this remedy is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the great laxative, tonic and regulator. It is one of the few remedies useful to children that does not contain narcotics. It will do all that is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Illinois. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

A Neglected Occupation.

While the girls are casting about to learn all that is learnable, will they please remark that one of the things worth learning is the girl's own job! It seems at times in danger of being neglected, so urgent is the assault of the petticoat brigade on all the other portals of the citadel of knowledge.—Life.

Gambling

your life against 25 cents is just exactly what you are doing if you neglect a cough or cold on the chest instead of treating it with Ballard's Horehound Syrup. A 25 cent bottle of this splendid remedy will cure an ordinary cough, heal the lungs and act as a tonic for your entire system. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Mexican National Drink.

The aloe, or rather agave, is the base of the Mexican national drink. The flower stalk is hollowed out, and the sweet, sugary juice caught in cups. If only slightly fermented it forms a most delicate and refreshing drink.—Stray Stories.

Your kidney trouble may be of long standing.

It may be either acute or chronic, but whatever it is Foley's Kidney Remedy will aid you to get rid of it quickly and restore your natural health and vigor. "One bottle of Foley's Kidney Remedy made me well," said J. Sibbald of Grand View, Wis. Commence taking it now. W. H. Windrow.

SOME BARGAINS.

An 80-acre farm, 2½ miles southwest of Hondo, with 50 acres in cultivation, a four room house, a good well and windmill and the necessary outhouses, will be sold for \$50 an acre, half cash and balance in one and two years at 8 per cent interest. Apply to the owner, Joe Sauter, on the place, or to his agent, the Hondo Land Co.

Eight hundred and fifty dollars cash will buy two choice corner lots, each 60x140 feet, in the south part of Hondo. This property is suitable for business purposes and is a fine opportunity for investment.

All of blocks 4 and 5 and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 in block 1, Miller addition, are for sale cheap and on easy terms. Apply to J. W. Miller, proprietor, or his agent, the Hondo Land Co. This is a splendid opportunity for investment in Hondo property. Buy now while you have first pick.

A 320-acre farm, 8½ miles south of Hondo, all fenced and 85 acres in cultivation, with a two-room house, good well, windmill and tank, will be sold for \$25.00 per acre, half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser at 8 per cent interest.

An eight-room residence in Hondo situated on four lots 35x140-feet, will be sold cheap and on liberal terms. A well improved home and a bargain for some one wanting a good place in Hondo.

One and a half lots with three-room house and well, north of court house, in Burnside addition. Price reasonable.

Four hundred dollars will buy two of the choicest lots in the Miller Addition, lots 3 and 4 in block 3. One is 70x140 feet and the other 60x140.

For Sale: Lot No. 8 in block No. 32, in town of Lacoste, business building 22x24 feet together with barber outfit, for \$1200 and on liberal terms. Apply to Gus. C. Moeller, owner, or to this company.

A 350-acre farm in Tate County, Miss., part creek bottom, six tenant houses, three good wells. Will trade for Texas property of equal value or will sell for \$20 per acre on good terms.

A 78x92 foot lot, being lot No. 5, in block No. 5, Moer addition to Hondo, one block from school house, is for sale cheap. Suitable for building a small residence for one wishing to be near the school.

If you want to buy, sell or lease town or country property and are prepared to talk business see the—

Hondo Land Company
TAYLOR & DAVIS, Managers HONDO, TEXAS.

When You Can't Sleep.

There is an odd theory (that many people believe and which is certainly harmless) that sleeplessness may often be cured in the following odd way: Move your bed out into the room so that no part of bed or covers will touch the wall. Then place under each corner of the bed a piece of rubber or a rubber overshoe, or set the corner in a thick glass dish. Then go to bed, making sure the covers do not touch the wall. Thus the bed and yourself will be cut off from all electric contact with the floor or wall. Such absence of electric current contact, it is claimed, will make you sleep better. It is said to have cured stubborn cases of insomnia.

A Handsome Woman

Every woman may not be handsome, but every woman should keep with care the good points nature has given her. No woman need have sallow skin, dull eye, blotchy complexion, who pays proper attention to her health.

Where constipation, liver derangements, blood impurities and other irregularities exist, good complexion, bright eyes and sprightly movements cannot exist. Internal derangements reveal themselves sooner or later on the surface. Headache, dark rings around the eyes, sallow skin, a constant tired feeling—mean that the liver and digestive organs are needing help and correction. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets give this necessary help. They work in nature's own way. They do not merely flush the bowels but tone up the liver and stomach to fulfill their proper functions. So mild and gentle do they act that one hardly realizes that they have taken medicine. Chamberlain's Tablets can be relied upon to relieve biliousness, indigestion, constipation and dizziness. Sold everywhere. Price 25 cents.

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make that watch of yours go you may as well give it to the baby to play with, it's days of service are surely ended, and it is a question with you now of buying a new one. You ought to come here for a new watch for the same reason that prompts you to bring us your repairing jobs, because we are in a position to give you the highest grade of satisfaction. As we said, we can get all the service out of a watch that there is in it down to the last tick, if you will let us look at it occasionally. And as for new watches—well, just take a few minutes some day to look over what we have. That's all we ask.

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HOT WEATHER

Stomach and Bowel Troubles are often sudden and serious. They require prompt and effective treatment to relieve pain and prevent complications.

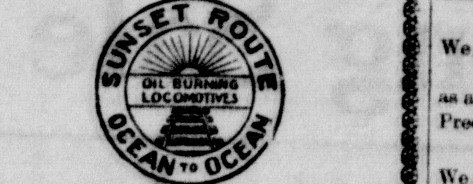
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is the most powerful and effective remedy in all forms of stomach and bowel troubles. It kills the germs that breed disease. Irritation is allayed, fermentation stopped, gases dissipated. It promptly controls Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea and kindred ailments.

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H. P. HORNBY
of Uvalde as a candidate for Representative 97th district, as the Democratic nominee.

For District Attorney.
We are authorized to announce
L. J. BRUCKS
of Hondo as a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 38th Judicial District, as the Democratic nominee.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction
We are authorized to announce
W. N. SAATHOFF
as a candidate for election to the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County at the November election.

For Tax Assessor
We are authorized to announce
H. B. TAYLOR
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina county at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
A. T. FORST
as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Medina county, at the November election. He stands for rotation in office.

For Sheriff.
We are authorized to announce
CHARLES B. BROWN
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
AUGUST SCHUCKLE
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
JOE F. HADER
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Medina county at the November election.

For County Attorney.
We are authorized to announce
RALPH J. NOONAN
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Clerk
We are authorized to announce
AUGUST HOERNUNG
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Medina county at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
ROBT. M. REDUS
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Medina County, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
R. A. JUNGMAN
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Medina county, at the November election.

For Tax Collector.
We are authorized to announce
JOE NEY
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
JESSE G. NEWTON
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina county, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
SEBASTIAN KELLER
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina county, at the November election on a strictly two term ticket.

For County Treasurer
We are authorized to announce
LOU E. HEATH
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Medina county, at the November election.

For District Clerk.
We are authorized to announce
AUGUST KEMPF
as a candidate for the office of District Clerk of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Judge
Thanking the voters of Medina county for past support, I again announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina county, and ask a continuance of your good will and support at the next election, promising, if re-elected, to give Medina county, as heretofore, an efficient, economical administration of county affairs pertaining to said office to the best of my ability. Respectfully, H. E. HAASS.

For County Commissioner.
We are authorized to announce
GEORGE E. NEUMAN
as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
B. H. BRUCKS
as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
T. MCCLUGHERTY
as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
J. B. NEY
as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, at the November election.

For Justice of the Peace
We are authorized to announce
A. M. LAMM
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Public Weigher
We are authorized to announce
HUGH F. WOODS
as a candidate for Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Medina county, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
C. B. LEINWEBER
as a candidate for Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1, Medina county, at the November election.

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 "I suffered greatly with ailments due to the change of life and had 3 doctors, but they did no good, so I concluded to try Cardui.
 "Since taking Cardui, I am so much better and can do all my housework."

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Do not allow yourself to get into a bad fix. You might get in so bad you would find it hard to get out. Better take Cardui while there is time, while you are still in moderately good health, just to conserve your strength and keep you in tip top condition.
 In this way your troubles, whatever they are, will gradually grow smaller instead of larger—you will be on the up-grade instead of the down—and by and bye you will arrive at the north pole of perfect health.
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As a healthful tonic for home use or a wholesome stimulant in case of accidents or sudden illness, it has no equal. No home should be without it. Its moderate use is highly beneficial to those who are ailing and it will increase the vigor of those who are well. GENUINE SUNNY BROOK Pure Food Whiskey is U. S. Standard (100%) proof and every bottle bears the "Government Green Stamp" showing the correct age and measure.

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Medina County Valuations.

There are assessed for taxes for the year 1910 in Medina county on the rendered, non-resident and unrendered rolls property as follows: 817,927 acres of land valued at \$4,665,390; town lots valued at \$732,230; 8,428 head of horses and mules valued at \$400,005; 34,089 head of cattle valued at \$380,505; 70 jacks and stallions valued at \$13,575; 1480 head of sheep valued at \$2,860; 4,884 head of goats valued at \$7,320; 716 head of hogs valued at \$1,965; 34 dogs valued at \$980; 2,509 wagons valued at \$91,800; merchandise valued at \$277,680; machinery valued at \$100,435; money, notes and state banks \$540,060; national banks \$131,500; railroads, telegraphs and telephones valued at \$1,839,876; miscellaneous property valued at \$91,055. This makes a total valuation of all property in Medina county rendered for taxation of \$9,279,336. This is an increase over 1909 of \$244,670. There are also assessed 1317 polls amounting to a tax for both state and county of \$2,304.25.

Here is a Remedy That Will Cure Eczema.—"We Prove It."

Why waste time and money experimenting with greasy salves and lotions, trying to drive the eczema germ from underneath the skin when the Windrow Drug Store guarantees ZEMO, a clean liquid preparation for external use to rid the skin of the germ life that causes the trouble? One application will relieve the itching and often times one bottle is sufficient to cure a minor case of eczema.

In over 2,000 towns and cities in America, the leading druggist has the agency for ZEMO and he will tell you of the marvelous cures made by this clean, simple treatment. ZEMO is recognized as the cleanest and most popular treatment for eczema, pimples, dandruff and all other forms of skin or scalp affections whether on infant or grown person. Will you try a bottle on our recommendation? W. H. Windrow's Drug Store.

Choosing a Career.

"What are you going to do when you grow up?" This is the favorite conundrum which the kind aunts and uncles put to the boys when they come home from school; and of late they are beginning to put it to the girls also, since it has been reluctantly admitted that a girl may rightly have something to say about what she would like to do in the world. But how is it possible to make anything more than a blind guess at the answer, unless the boy or girl has some idea of the practical which is to be worked for. To choose a trade, a business, a profession, without knowing what kind of a result you want to get out of your labor, is to set sail in the dark. It is to have a course, but no haven; an employment, but no vocation.—Henry Van Dyke.

How Disease Starts.

Nine times out of ten chronic diseases like rheumatism, kidney trouble, heart disease, skin disease, etc., start with a disorder of the stomach or bowels. To cure constipation, liver trouble, indigestion, sour stomach, heartburn, etc., take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which cures and prevents these diseases. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

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When Merit Wins.

When the medicine you take cures your disease, tones up your system and makes you feel better, stronger and more vigorous than before. That is what Foley Kidney Pills do for you, in all cases of backache, headache, nervousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness and general weakness that is caused by any disorder of the kidneys or bladder. W. H. Windrow.

Honesty is the best policy, but look at the millionaires in the United States senate!

See Hondo Land Co. for real estate.

CAN'T MAKE POLICE BELIEVE

New York Youngster Who Wishes Guardians of the Peace Were Not So Official.

There is a very small girl in this town who believes in police persecution; that is to say, she believes that it exists, though she is anything but in favor of it, says the New York Sun. Her home is downtown on the East side and she goes to one of the kindergartens on the upper West side.

The young lady's mother has to work and so the four-year-old goes to kindergarten alone. She starts out with two nickels tightly held in a small palm and she's just tall enough to reach up to the elevated ticket office to secure her transportation. The ticket chopper is kind enough to deposit her ticket for her. Everything goes well on the uptown trip because in the crowd she isn't noticed.

But when she starts home shortly after noon there is trouble. Every policeman that sees her insists that she's lost. It is useless for her to explain that she knows perfectly well where she's going; she's too small to be believed, that's all. Two or three times a week she is bundled off to the station house in spite of her tearful protestations. There she produces a much-fingered card on which is the 'phone number of a saloon near her home. The saloonkeeper tells the police that it's all right, explains the circumstances, and she is permitted to go her way. But she is getting mighty tired of it, just the same.

Skin Affections, Whether on Infant or Grown Person Cured by Zemo and Zemo Soap.—An Unusual Offer.

The Windrow Drug Store says to every person, be it man, woman or child, who has an irritated, tender or itching skin to come to our store and procure a bottle of ZEMO and a cake of ZEMO soap and if you are not entirely satisfied with results, come back and get your money. So confident are we of the efficacy of this clean, simple treatment, that we make you this unusual offer.

ZEMO is a clear liquid for external use that has cured so many cases of eczema, pimples, dandruff and other forms of skin eruption. ZEMO and ZEMO soap are the most economical as well as the cleanest and most effective treatment for affections of the skin or scalp, whether on infant or grown person.

Profitable Glass Eye.

"Nobody is going to poke out a good eye just for the sake of getting a glass eye," said the city salesman, "but I know a man who makes money on his glass eye. He goes to Europe three times a year on business. While there he does a little trading in jewels as a side line. It is on the homeward trip that he turns his glass eye to good account. In the cavity back of it he carries two or three small but valuable diamonds. Half the duty saved is his commission on these stones alone. The customs inspectors have never got on to him. Naturally they can't go around jabbing their fingers into people's eyes."—New York Sun.

Don't Break Down.

Severe strains on the vital organs, like strains on machinery, cause breakdowns. You can't over-tax stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels or nerves without serious danger to yourself. If you are weak or run-down, or under strain of any kind, take Electric Bitters, the matchless tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E. Van de Sande, of Kirkland, Ill., writes: "That I did not break down, while enduring a most severe strain, for three months, is due wholly to Electric Bitters." Use them and enjoy health and strength. Satisfaction positively guaranteed. 50c. at W. H. Windrow's.

It was a sort of rest for the colored race when a mob lynched the white man in Ohio

A Man of Iron Nerve.

Indomitable will and tremendous energy are never found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills, the matchless regulators, for keen brain and strong body. 25c at W. H. Windrow's.

Why is it, that there are so many married men going around looking for sympathy?

Diarrhoea is always more or less prevalent during September. Be prepared for it. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is prompt and effectual. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by all dealers.

Doesn't it sound funny when you hear of a milkman being on the water wagon?

"I have a world of confidence in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for I have used it with perfect success," writes Mrs. M. I. Basford, Poolesville, Md. For sale by all dealers.

What will the politicians do when all the wires are put underground?

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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"You Can Fool All the People Part of the Time and Some People All the Time"

It is a very common occurrence for some piano dealers to advertise a lot of unknown makes, of unknown value, at prices that are supposed to effect a saving to the buyer, but eventually the unsophisticated discover that their supposed bargain was a rather expensive purchase.

Our instruments are standard makes and priced in accordance with their intrinsic value. Every piano in our salesroom bears the guarantee of the maker in addition to our own. When you purchase a piano at this store you can depend on the quality and by reason of our one-price method you know positively that some other individual has not bought a similar instrument at a lesser cost.

The cultivated, the discriminating, the prominent, almost always use one of these makes:

MASON & HAMLIN, HARDMAN, BUSH & GERTS, HARRINGTON, HENSEL

The greater the pianist's ability, the more cultured the ear of the hearer, the higher will be the appreciation of the rich and colorful tones of these instruments. They embody a distinct individuality, bringing to the surface the best there is in composer and pianist alike. Our easy payment plan will enable you to use the piano while paying for it. Old instruments taken in exchange.

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PERSONALS

C. D. Conley, "Thee Tailor."

Better Buggies for less money; ask Holloway Bros.

Get a \$10 galvanized Stock Trough from Holloway Bros.

J. A. Blackburn and Rud. Haass were here from Biry Thursday.

Consider the Charter Oak when you get that new stove, Holloway Bros.

Alex Haegelin, a Riomedina stockman, was noted on our streets Saturday.

The wagon with a growing reputation, the Studebaker. See Holloway Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Saathoff of D'Hanis were shopping in Hondo yesterday.

Seraphin Jungmann was here yesterday in the interest of his candidacy for County Clerk.

Conley makes a good suit and fits it every time. The price is very little, so see him to-day.

Mrs. A. H. Sprenger is out from San Antonio on a visit to her mother, Mrs. A. Falkenberg.

Mrs. Dr. W. H. Smith arrived here Monday from Canada where she spent the summer with relatives.

Come and take your choice. Fall stock now in, Guns, Ammunition and Cutlery. C. R. Gaines.

Cherri Pepsin, a delicious, healthful drink served at F. A. Heyen's confectionery, 5 cents a glass.

Wanted, next week, 500 men who have loose wagon and buggy tires to set. J. H. Meyers' shop.

Just received, a car of oats. Give your horses a treat by feeding oats. McClaugherty & Horger.

Gotlob Weiblen was here from Castroville Thursday. He reports every thing still dry in that section.

Farmers, bring your plow work to me early enough to secure good work. LEO SCHROETER, blacksmith. 4t.

I shall move into the old postoffice building where I can give you better service. Call on me. C. D. Conley.

The younger society set enjoyed a pleasant social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Jones Monday evening.

L. D. Hardt and his sister, Miss Alice left Monday evening for Georgetown to re-enter school for the ensuing session.

Elder N. W. Newby filled his appointments at the Christian Church Sunday and Sunday night as announced.

Miss Marguerite Wanshaff returned Sunday from D'Hanis where she had been on a two weeks' visit to her aunt, Mrs. Charles Wallrath.

For Sale, 136 acres of land, 90 acres in cultivation, adjoining Hondo. Also town lots, also a residence. For prices apply to P. Jungman Jr.

Buy a Racine-Babcock Fire Extinguisher of J. D. Brown. It is approved by the Underwriters and is the best fire protection available.

Elders Palmer and Kuykendall, missionaries of the Reorganized Church of Christ, are holding a meeting under a tent on College square.

Dr. J. H. Fletcher has had the damage to his auto repaired and is again prepared to make a quick run to wherever his services are needed.

Aug. Hornung returned Monday from Castroville and other points where he had been campaigning in the interest of his race for county clerk.

I will be in Hondo and vicinity between the 15th and 30th of October soliciting orders for nursery stock. John A. Head, Agent Ramsey's Austin Nursery. 4t.

Mrs. B. C. Dennis will demonstrate Chi-Namel to the ladies on the afternoons of Sept. 30th and Oct. 1st. Come and see what it is, at Holloway Bros.' store.

When you go fishing make it handy to return on Friday and if your luck is bad just come by Brown's and take some fish home—don't disappoint the old woman and the kids.

Mrs. J. W. Heath and daughter, Miss Hazel, visited Devine the first of the week, returning Wednesday. They reported a fine rain in the Biry neighborhood Tuesday evening.

FOR SALE, one 8-room residence, freshly painted, 120 ft. front on street, 3 blocks from postoffice. For price and terms apply to Mrs. L. J. W. Edwards, Moore, Texas. 7-2 3mo

Miss Ruth Whipple gave a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whipple, Wednesday evening. All had an enjoyable time. There were too many present to attempt to mention names.

Mrs. J. B. Kendleon and little son returned to San Antonio Monday after a pleasant visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. X. Wantz, at this place. While here Mrs. Kendleon enrolled with our corps of readers.

Posted, The King Water-hole is posted and bathing or fishing therein or shooting around it is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.

JOE BRITSCH.

Y. P. KING.

You Take No Risk

Our Reputation and Money are Back of this Offer.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. Could anything be more fair for you? Is there any reason why you should hesitate to put our claims to a practical test?

The most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. They are very pronounced, gentle and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. They do not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping or any inconvenience whatever. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

We urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Two sizes, 10c and 25c. Remember you can get Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store. F. H. Falkenberg.

FOR SALE, three choice lots, southeast corner block, and a neat three-room house near the school house for \$1600. Will sell house and one inside lot for \$1100. Either proposition is a bargain. See the Hondo Land Co., Taylor & Davis, Managers.

C. D. Conley can do it. I tried him.

A. F. Peters returned Monday evening from Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Huegele were up from Biry yesterday.

J. F. Bandy and family left Tuesday for San Antonio to reside.

Was good and is good, the Studebaker Wagon; ask Holloway Bros.

Have Conley to make you a swell suit. You will always be proud of it. See his samples.

On the square, we want you to look at our pocket knives; we have good ones, Holloway Bros.

FOR RENT, subject to sale, a neat three room cottage near the school house. See Hondo Land Co.

A. E. Saathoff and family of D'Hanis passed through here Sunday enroute to New Fountain to attend church.

Emil Biry was up from Biryville yesterday selling cotton. While here he enlisted with our corps of readers.

Miss Clotilda Tschirhart, the Castroville nurse, was here this week on professional business. She returned home Wednesday.

Louis Heyen shipped two cars of cattle to Ft. Worth Tuesday and X. Wantz shipped a car to the same place on the same date.

J. W. Whitehead is now the operator at the depot, having succeeded Mr. McNutt. Mr. Whitehead and family are domiciled at the Richter hotel.



CONTINUATION OF OUR HAT EXHIBITION WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Lots of new arrivals since the Opening (Monday, Sept. 12th) to take the place of many sold

(Ladies visiting our Exhibition next Wednesday are kindly requested to call at Schmitt & Steinhardt's and partake of refreshments served free by a representative of National Biscuit Co.)

Mrs. Ragland Thank you for your Liberal Patronage on our Opening Day
OVER SCHMITT & STEINHARDT'S STORE

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher have moved into the Zuercher residence on Public Park, recently vacated by Dr. R. P. Thomas, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Posey will occupy the apartments vacated by Dr. Fletcher in the A. P. Jones residence.

C. G. Leighton, the Tarpley tomato grower, was here Wednesday on business. We regretted to learn from Mr. Leighton that his tomato crop has been almost a complete failure this season and he has been unable to supply the demand for his product.

Russell Routt was in town Tuesday. He is still compelled to walk with a crutch on account of his crippled ankle but is able to hustle for live-stock. He was just shipping a car-load of 2-year old mules from Sabinal which he said would "top" at not less than \$300 per pair.

We are requested to announce that the Quibi Gun Club will give a grand basket picnic at its Club grounds on the first Sunday in October, the same being the 2nd day of the month, and the public is cordially invited to come and bring their baskets. Barbecued meat will be sold on the grounds.

Prof. J. S. Roller was over from D'Hanis Saturday on business. He informed us that school opened in the new school building Monday, the 12th instant with seventy-five pupils in attendance. Prof. Roller is assisted by Mrs. Roller and Miss Alta Moore, an experienced primary teacher, from San Marcos. They have every prospect of a successful term.

C. B. Brown returned Saturday from San Antonio.

R. W. Heath spent Thursday in San Antonio on business.

Jim Heath was up from Devine Monday on business.

Geo. W. Bailey, the tailor, has been on the sick list this week.

Tom Heath shipped another car of wood to Alpine this week.

Robert Decker shipped a car of cattle to San Antonio Tuesday.

Was good and is good, the Studebaker Wagon; ask Holloway Bros.

Emil Bendele of Noonan is a late addition to our corps of readers.

Soaps! Soaps! every thing in toilet soaps at Windrow's Drug Store.

Wm. Schmalkoke, the horse buyer, is here buying horses and mules.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben de Joirno of Sturm Hill were shopping in town yesterday.

Mrs. Joe Huesser Jr. returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives at Castroville.

Miss Willie Hancock went to D'Hanis Sunday on a visit to relatives. She returned Wednesday.

Three cars of seed were again shipped to the San Antonio market by local ginners this week.

Several car loads of feed, such as corn, alfalfa, hay and cotton seed hulls were received here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron P. Margules of Dallas spent Friday here. Mrs. Margules was formerly Miss Jessie Marks of this place.

Tomorrow, the 25th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M., the children of the Catholic Church will receive their first Holy Communion. St. Cecilia's Mass will be rendered by the full choir. The class for this year consists of ten, as follows: Alex Wendland, Alfred and Ervin Fohn, Steve and Herman Filleman, Walter Karrer and Walter Koch, Misses Florence Wendland, Albertina Hornung and Nora Karrer. The public is cordially invited to attend this service. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Pastor, J. J. Myers.

The most valuable single variety of fruit that grows in this country is the Haupt Berry, a cross between the dewberry and the blackberry. It does best on black land Haupt Berry vines planted in high black prairie land on the 15th of June paid at the rate of \$400.00 per acre. Older vines paid \$1000 per acre, clear of cost of picking and crating, on the same kind of land without irrigation. John A. Head, Agent Ramsey Nursery. 4t.

FOR SALE—1300 acres, one mile from R. R. station, 35 acres in cultivation, more can be put in. All has a good clay foundation. 3000 cords of wood on it—live oak and mesquite. New five-room house, orchard, good well, gasoline engine to draw water, 15 acres can be irrigated. This is as good a place as can be found west of San Antonio. For further information write or call on Nic Deckert, Box 96, D'Hanis, Texas.

The vacancy in the faculty of Hondo's school caused by the resignation of Prof. Brucks was filled by the telegraphic acceptance of Prof. W. L. Spalding of Greenville yesterday. The new building will be received by the School Board to-day and the grounds will be cleared next week, and it is expected that school will begin on the 3rd of October.

If you want peach trees that will bear plant a few of each of Ramsey's twelve varieties of Belle peaches. They have been selected out of 25000 seedlings, and if you don't have peaches from them there will be no peaches in forty miles of you. JOHN A. HEAD, Agent Ramsey Nursery.

The little frame structure that has done service as an extra school room for the past two terms was moved from the school grounds to the north side of town yesterday and located on a five-year leased tract of land where it will be used by the colored people as a school house.

J. W. McCaughan returned Sunday from Gonzales County where he had been called two weeks before to the bedside of his father, J. D. McCaughan. The old gentleman died Tuesday, Sept. 16th, at the age of 78 years. We join in sympathy for Mr. McCaughan in his sorrow.

J. D. Burgin and Elder Ball, pastor of the Primitive Baptist church at Yancey, were here Sunday enroute home. Mr. Burgin was returning from San Antonio and Elder Ball from Sabinal where he had been holding church services.

The Hondo & Tarpley Railway Co. gives a free pass to all parties riding on this road, provided they walk and carry their own baggage, swim the river Nile and have their clothes cleaned and pressed by C. D. Conley, tailor.

For Sale, 1920 acres patented land, fenced, 14 miles from Uvalde, one mile River front on Nueces River, pecan orchard; price \$6.50. Will take some real estate in trade, balance cash. Write W. H. Asher, Laguna, Tex.

We are requested to announce that Miss Mary Thomason, the elocutionist, will begin a class in elocution and also a class in physical culture for ladies next Tuesday. Parties interested are requested to take due notice.

Miss Alice Rothe came in Sunday morning from San Antonio and spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Felix Batot. She was accompanied home in the afternoon by her nephew, Master Milton Batot.

Miss Myrtle Parsons returned Sunday from San Antonio where she had been on a two weeks' visit to her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Henley. We are informed that Mr. Henley is contemplating moving to California.

The management of the Auditorium informs us that it is booking some splendid attractions for the coming show season and will have some important announcements to make soon.

Mrs. J. D. Smith went to Del Rio Saturday. Capt. Smith remained over for the meeting of the Masonic Lodge Saturday evening and followed on Sunday morning's train.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira St.

Mrs. G. B. Bryant and children went to Crystal City Monday to join Mr. Bryant who is in the well drilling business at that place. They returned Thursday.

WANTED:—A good cook and house cleaner who can speak good German and English. Good pay for right person. Address, P. O. Box 378, Laredo, Texas.

We clean, press and mend any thing from a wool sock to an overcoat. C. D. Conley, your tailor.

Dolls! Dolls! big line at Windrow's Drug Store.

Better Buggies for less money; ask Holloway Bros.

Get a \$10 galvanized Stock trough from Holloway Bros.

Holloway's House and Barn Paint, \$1.25 a gallon, at Holloway Bros.

Santa Claus' headquarters, as usual, will be at Windrow's Drug Store.

Hubert Zuercher, the Castroville merchant, was here Tuesday on business.

County Surveyor H. V. Haass was here from Castroville Tuesday on business.

Mrs. John Brown of Devine is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Harris.

W. H. Windrow will leave shortly to buy his usual large assortment of Holiday goods.

Mrs. J. B. Ney and daughter, Miss Etta, were guests of Mrs. Charles Schuehle Wednesday.

John N. Breiten left Thursday morning for El Paso on a visit to his sons who reside in that city.

Ferdinand Nester was here Saturday and purchased four of Dr. Meyer's blooded Jersey heifers.

Miss Lenora Fuller of San Marcos opened the Longview school on Monday of last week for the ensuing term.

Ring up phone 103, Hondo Lumber Co., and let us deliver you a sack of choice shelled oats. Our prices are right.

Joe Horn was in town Thursday and informed us that the Quibi Gun Club is preparing for a grand time on Oct. 2nd at the basket picnic.

The German Methodist protracted meeting closed Sunday night at New Fountain and the visiting clergymen returned to their homes Monday.

E. P. Hearne returned Tuesday from Del Rio. Mr. Hearne is pleased with that little city and says his son-in-law, D. E. Beal, and family are doing well.

We are still selling out all of our hardware, tinware and dry goods at cost and will continue until the stock is sold out. Call and see us. Mask & Son.

X. Wantz returned Wednesday from San Antonio where he had been to accompany a shipment of cattle. Mr. Wantz is suffering from a mesquite thorn which he stuck in his knee some weeks ago and gets about with some difficulty.

The Hondo Public Schools will open Monday, October 3rd. Examinations and classifications will be made on the first day. There will be eight teachers employed in the main or central school and one each for the Mexican and the negro schools. The assignment of teachers to their respective grades will not be made before next week.

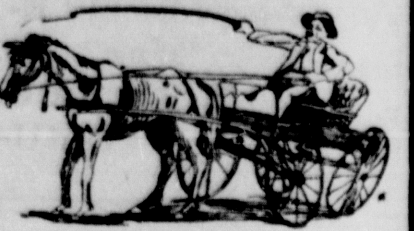
Aug. Garteiser enjoyed a visit from his father, Anton Garteiser, over Sunday. The old gentleman is nearly 78 years of age and is suffering from an injury to his hip sustained several months ago. He returned home Monday, accompanied by his daughter-in-law, who was in turn accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. Ed Finger.

Hon. Noah Allen of Brownsville, Republican candidate for Congress from the 15th District, passed through here Wednesday enroute to Eagle Pass where he met his Democratic opponent, Hon. John N. Garner, in joint debate Wednesday night. Mr. Allen has announced through the press that he will speak here Saturday night, October 1st. Whether or not Mr. Garner will be here to meet him we are not as yet informed.

New Rigs

Just

Arrived



PHONE 61

—Get it at Windrow's.

We guarantee the Charter Oak stove to bake perfectly, Holloway Bros.

Since the cotton season opened up there had been shipped from this point 3186 bales of cotton up to Thursday night of this week.

—Let your next buggy or hack be a John Deere. There are none better. Leinweber & Huesser.

—Let L. J. Brucks prepare your abstracts. He represents the Garner Abstract & Land Co. There is never any complaint about a Garner Abstract.

Members of the Farmers Institute are requested to meet at the courthouse at 3 o'clock P. M. today for a regular meeting. The regular annual election of officers for the Institute will be held, and it is important that a large attendance should turn out to the meeting.

—Remember that we have a large stock of wagons, hacks and buggies and can please you in quality and price. If you contemplate the purchase of a vehicle call on us before buying. Leinweber & Huesser.

C. W. Moore, Esq., left Wednesday for Arkansas. The Judge insisted that he was going to Arkansas and not Arkansas, and said he would come back. We think the Judge was homesick to look at some water once again and will come home satisfied after a look or two at the lagoons of lonely Arkansas!

At a meeting of the Hondo Volunteer Fire Co. last Monday night it was announced that \$164.50 had been subscribed for the erection of a fire house. It being learned that Mrs. Richter objects to having the house built upon the right-of-way in front of her property it was virtually agreed not to put it there, and C. J. Bless, J. D. Brown and Fletcher Davis were appointed a committee to secure a suitable location elsewhere for the same. The committee now has under advisement the placing of the house either on a lot back of Uncle Jimmy Anderson's fruit store tendered by Fritz Leinweber or on one or the other of the town's public squares.

THE GREAT CLOSING OUT

SALE

IS STILL GOING ON AT KLEIN'S

- 33 1-3 Per Cent off on all Suits.
- 33 1-3 Per Cent off on Skirts and Shirtwaists
- 25 Per Cent Off on all Hats and Pants.
- 25 Per Cent Off on all Shoes on the table.
- 20 Per Cent Off on all Other Shoes.

Be sure and attend, and get your share of bargains.

A. E. Klein

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